

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

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NATIONAL BAMBOO MISSION .  
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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of progress made under the National Bamboo Mission in various States in the country, State-wise; and
- (b) the various steps taken by the Government to further promote the cultivation of bamboo in the country?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (DR. SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN)

- (a): State-wise progress in respect of major components from 2006-07 to 2013-14 under the National Bamboo Mission is annexed.
- (b): Various steps have been taken to further promote the cultivation of bamboo in the country like
  - (i) the cost norms for plantation and improvement of stocks revised from 2014-15 to meet the increasing costs of raw material and labour
  - (ii) provision for establishment of High-tech nurseries and rehabilitation of Tissue Culture units for making available good quality planting material
  - (iii) stress on training to farmers
  - (iv) dissemination of information of best practices for cultivation and harvesting techniques through seminars and printing material etc.